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#### DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Coast Guard

33 CFR Part 165

Docket No. USCG-2013-0868

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Safety Zone; Motion Picture Stunt Work and Filming;

Chicago, IL

AGENCY: Coast Guard, DHS.

ACTION: Temporary final rule.

SUMMARY: The Coast Guard is establishing five temporary safety zones on waterways near Chicago, IL. These safety zones are intended to restrict vessels from portions of Chicago waterways due to the filming of a motion picture. These temporary safety zones are necessary to protect the surrounding public and vessels from the hazards associated with the stunt work, pyrotechnics, low-flying helicopter, and other hazards involved in the filming of a motion picture.

DATES: This rule is effective from 6 a.m. on October 1 through 12 a.m. on October 31, 2013.

ADDRESSES: Documents mentioned in this preamble are part of docket USCG-2013-0868. To view documents mentioned in

this preamble as being available in the docket, go to <a href="http://www.regulations.gov">http://www.regulations.gov</a>, type the docket number in the "SEARCH" box and click "SEARCH." Click on Open Docket Folder on the line associated with this rulemaking. You may also visit the Docket Management Facility in Room W12-140 on the ground floor of the Department of Transportation West Building, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE, Washington, DC 20590, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: If you have questions on this temporary rule, contact or email MST1 Joseph McCollum, U.S. Coast Guard Sector Lake Michigan, at 414-747-7148 or Joseph.P.McCollum@uscg.mil. If you have questions on viewing the docket, call Barbara Hairston, Program Manager, Docket Operations, telephone (202) 366-9826.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

#### Table of Acronyms

DHS Department of Homeland Security

FR Federal Register

NPRM Notice of Proposed Rulemaking

TFR Temporary Final Rule

## A. Regulatory History and Information

On August 20, 2013, the Coast Guard published a TFR (USCG-2013-0676) entitled Safety Zone; Motion Picture Production; Chicago, IL in the Federal Register (78 FR

20241). Because this motion picture production - with associated hazards - is expected to continue into October, the Coast Guard is issuing this TFR to keep five safety zones, in the same locations as previously established, in place during the month of October 2013.

The Coast Guard is issuing this temporary final rule without prior notice and opportunity to comment pursuant to authority under section 4(a) of the Administrative Procedure Act (APA) (5 U.S.C. 553(b)). This provision authorizes an agency to issue a rule without prior notice and opportunity to comment when the agency for good cause finds that those procedures are "impracticable, unnecessary, or contrary to the public interest." Under 5 U.S.C. 553(b)(B), the Coast Guard finds that good cause exists for not publishing an NPRM with respect to this rule because doing so would be impracticable and contrary to the public interest. The movie production company informed the Coast Guard of delays in filming and changes of schedule that pushed filming into October, leaving the Coast Guard without the time to complete an NPRM. Thus, delaying the effective date of this rule to wait for a comment period to run would be both impracticable and contrary to the public interest because it would inhibit the Coast Guard's ability to protect spectators and vessels from the hazards

associated with the filming of a motion picture, which are discussed further below.

Under 5 U.S.C. 553(d)(3), The Coast Guard finds that good cause exists for making this temporary rule effective less than 30 days after publication in the <u>Federal Register</u> for the same reasons discussed in the preceding paragraph, waiting for a 30 day notice period to run would be impracticable and contrary to the public interest.

# B. Basis and Purpose

The legal basis for the rule is the Coast Guard's authority to establish regulated navigation areas and limited access areas: 33 U.S.C. 1231; 46 U.S.C. Chapter 701, 3306, 3703; 50 U.S.C. 191, 195; 33 CFR 1.05-1, 6.04-1, 6.04-6, 160.5; Pub. L. 107-295, 116 Stat. 2064; Department of Homeland Security Delegation No. 0170.1.

From October 1 through October 31, 2013 the Coast Guard anticipates that a motion picture corporation will film scenes for a motion picture on portions of the Chicago River, Calumet Harbor, and Chicago Sanitary and Ship Canal. In early to mid October the Coast Guard anticipates filming and stunt work on the Chicago Sanitary and Ship Canal in the vicinity of the South Damen Avenue Bridge. This shooting sequence is expected to involve pyrotechnics. Filming is also expected to continue in the vicinity of the

north breakwall within Calumet Harbor, as well as the Chicago River System.

The Captain of the Port, Lake Michigan, has determined that this filming event - with associated stunt work, pyrotechnics, and low-flying helicopters - will pose a significant risk to public safety and property. Such hazards include the collision of stunt, film, and spectator vessels in a congested area. Other hazards include falling wreckage, as well as injuries associated with debris propelled by helicopter rotor-wash.

The Coast Guard anticipates that the safety zones created by this temporary rule will not be enforced every day between October 1 and October 31, 2013. Because of the possibility of bad weather on one or more of the filming days, and considering the unpredictability involved in filming a motion picture, this rule was written with a wider range of dates and times to give the Coast Guard flexibility to accommodate changes in the film schedule between October 1 and October 31, 2013.

## C. Discussion of the Final Rule

With the aforementioned hazards in mind, the Captain of the Port, Lake Michigan, has determined that five temporary safety zones are necessary to ensure the safety of persons and vessels during the filming of a motion picture on the Chicago River, Chicago Sanitary and Ship Canal, and Calumet Harbor. This rule is effective from 6 a.m. on October 1 until 12 a.m. on October 31, 2013. This rule will be enforced from 6 a.m. to 12 a.m. on intermittent dates between October 1 through October 31, 2013.

During this date range, these safety zones will be enforced during the time of filming and associated stunt work, between 6 a.m. and 12 a.m. The Coast Guard will issue a Broadcast Notice to Mariners to provide the public with advanced notice of those days that these safety zones will be enforced. The Coast Guard on-scene Captain of the Port Representative will provide actual notice on-scene.

Five safety zones will be established as follows:

- --All waters of Lake Michigan, Calumet Harbor west of an imaginary line connecting  $41^{\circ}44'29.4''N$ ,  $087^{\circ}31'33.9''W$  and  $41^{\circ}44'21''N$ ,  $087^{\circ}31'47.12''W$  (NAD 83).
- --All waters of the South Branch of the Chicago River from position 41°52′19.03″N, 087°38′08.7″W, then approximately 1380 yards south to position 41°51′36.5″N, 087°38′04.7″W (NAD 83).
- --All waters of the Chicago River from an imaginary line connecting positions 41°53′11.6″N, 087°38′20.5″W and 41°53′14.0″N, 087°38′17.2″W, then east to the North Orleans Street Bridge in position 41°53′15.84″N, 087°38′09.16″W,

then south along the south branch of the river to the vicinity of the West Van Buren Street Bridge in position  $41^{\circ}52'36.4''N$ ,  $087^{\circ}38'15.8''W$  (NAD 83).

--All waters of the Chicago River from the West Lake

Street Bridge in position 41°53′8.6″N, 087°38′15.9″W, then

north to an imaginary line connecting positions

41°53′11.6″N, 087°38′20.5″W and 41°53′14.0″N,

087°38′17.2″W, then east along the main branch of the river

to a position of 41°53′19″N, 087°36′33″W (NAD 83) in the

vicinity of the North Lake Shore Drive Bridge.

--All waters of the Chicago Sanitary and Ship Canal within a 1000 foot radius of a position at 41°50′28.5″N, 087°40′22.7″W (NAD 83) in the vicinity of the South Damen Avenue bridge.

Entry into, transiting, or anchoring within the safety zones is prohibited unless authorized by the Captain of the Port, Lake Michigan, or his designated on-scene representative. The Captain of the Port or his designated on-scene representative may be contacted via VHF Channel 16.

## D. Regulatory Analyses

We developed this rule after considering numerous statutes and executive orders related to rulemaking. Below we summarize our analyses based on these statutes and

executive orders.

## 1. Regulatory Planning and Review

This rule is not a significant regulatory action under section 3(f) of Executive Order 12866, Regulatory Planning and Review, as supplemented by Executive Order 13563, Improving Regulation and Regulatory Review, and does not require an assessment of potential costs and benefits under section 6(a)(3) of Executive Order 12866 or under section 1 of Executive Order 13563. The Office of Management and Budget has not reviewed it under those Orders. It is not "significant" under the regulatory policies and procedures of the Department of Homeland Security (DHS).

We conclude that this rule is not a significant regulatory action because we anticipate that it will have minimal impact on the economy, will not interfere with other agencies, will not adversely alter the budget of any grant or loan recipients, and will not raise any novel legal or policy issues. The safety zones created by this rule will be small and enforced for a limited time on a limited number of days in October of 2013. Under certain conditions, moreover, vessels may still transit through the safety zones when permitted by the Captain of the Port.

#### 2. Impact on Small Entities

Under the Regulatory Flexibility Act (5 U.S.C. 601-

on small entities. The Coast Guard certifies under 5

U.S.C. 605(b) that this rule will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities.

This rule will affect the following entities, some of which might be small entities: the owners or operators of vessels intending to transit or anchor in a portion of the Chicago River, Calumet Harbor, or Chicago Sanitary and Ship Canal during the times in which the safety zones are enforced in October, 2013.

These safety zones will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities for the reasons cited in the <u>Regulatory Planning and Review</u> section. Additionally, before the enforcement of these zones, we would issue local Broadcast Notice to Mariners so vessel owners and operators can plan accordingly.

## 3. Assistance for Small Entities

Under section 213(a) of the Small Business Regulatory
Enforcement Fairness Act of 1996 (Public Law 104-121), we
want to assist small entities in understanding this rule.

If the rule would affect your small business, organization,
or governmental jurisdiction and you have questions
concerning its provisions or options for compliance, please
contact the person listed in the FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

CONTACT section above.

Small businesses may send comments on the actions of Federal employees who enforce, or otherwise determine compliance with, Federal regulations to the Small Business and Agriculture Regulatory Enforcement Ombudsman and the Regional Small Business Regulatory Fairness Boards. The Ombudsman evaluates these actions annually and rates each agency's responsiveness to small business. If you wish to comment on actions by employees of the Coast Guard, call 1-888-REG-FAIR (1-888-734-3247). The Coast Guard will not retaliate against small entities that question or complain about this rule or any policy or action of the Coast Guard.

## 4. Collection of Information

This rule will not call for a new collection of information under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501-3520).

#### 5. Federalism

A rule has implications for federalism under Executive Order 13132, Federalism, if it has a substantial direct effect on the States, on the relationship between the national government and the States, or on the distribution of power and responsibilities among the various levels of government. We have analyzed this rule under that Order and determined that this rule does not have implications

for federalism.

#### 6. Protest Activities

The Coast Guard respects the First Amendment rights of protesters. Protesters are asked to contact the person listed in the "For Further Information Contact" section to coordinate protest activities so that your message can be received without jeopardizing the safety or security of people, places or vessels.

## 7. Unfunded Mandates Reform Act

The Unfunded Mandates Reform Act of 1995 (2 U.S.C. 1531-1538) requires Federal agencies to assess the effects of their discretionary regulatory actions. In particular, the Act addresses actions that may result in the expenditure by a State, local, or tribal government, in the aggregate, or by the private sector of \$100,000,000 (adjusted for inflation) or more in any one year. Though this rule will not result in such an expenditure, we do discuss the effects of this rule elsewhere in this preamble.

## 8. Taking of Private Property

This rule will not cause a taking of private property or otherwise have taking implications under Executive Order 12630, Governmental Actions and Interference with Constitutionally Protected Property Rights.

## 9. Civil Justice Reform

This rule meets applicable standards in sections 3(a) and 3(b)(2) of Executive Order 12988, Civil Justice Reform, to minimize litigation, eliminate ambiguity, and reduce burden.

## 10. Protection of Children

We have analyzed this rule under Executive Order 13045, Protection of Children from Environmental Health Risks and Safety Risks. This rule is not an economically significant rule and does not create an environmental risk to health or risk to safety that may disproportionately affect children.

#### 11. Indian Tribal Governments

This rule does not have tribal implications under Executive Order 13175, Consultation and Coordination with Indian Tribal Governments, because it does not have a substantial direct effect on one or more Indian tribes, on the relationship between the Federal Government and Indian tribes, or on the distribution of power and responsibilities between the Federal Government and Indian tribes.

#### 12. Energy Effects

This action is not a "significant energy action" under Executive Order 13211, Actions Concerning Regulations That

Significantly Affect Energy Supply, Distribution, or Use.

## 13. Technical Standards

This rule does not use technical standards.

Therefore, we did not consider the use of voluntary consensus standards.

## 14. Environment

We have analyzed this rule under Department of Homeland Security Management Directive 023-01 and Commandant Instruction M16475.lD, which guide the Coast Guard in complying with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA) (42 U.S.C. 4321-4370f), and have determined that this action is one of a category of actions that do not individually or cumulatively have a significant effect on the human environment. This rule involves the establishment of safety zones and, therefore it is categorically excluded from further review under paragraph 34(q) of Figure 2-1 of the Commandant Instruction. environmental analysis checklist supporting this determination and a Categorical Exclusion Determination are available in the docket where indicated under ADDRESSES. We seek any comments or information that may lead to the discovery of a significant environmental impact from this rule.

## List of Subjects in 33 CFR Part 165

Harbors, Marine safety, Navigation (water), Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Security measures, Waterways.

For the reasons discussed in the preamble, the Coast Guard amends 33 CFR part 165 as follows:

PART 165- REGULATED NAVIGATION AREAS AND LIMITED ACCESS
AREAS

1. The authority citation for Part 165 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 33 U.S.C. 1231; 46 U.S.C. Chapters 701, 3306, 3703; 50 U.S.C. 191, 195; 33 CFR 1.05-1, 6.04-1, 6.04-6, and 160.5; Pub. L. 107-295, 116 Stat. 2064; Department of Homeland Security Delegation No. 0170.1.

2. Add § 165.T09-0868 to read as follows:

# § 165.T09-0868 Safety Zone; Motion Picture Stunt work and Filming; Chicago, IL.

- (a) <u>Safety Zones</u>. The following are designated as safety zones:
- (1) All waters of Lake Michigan, Calumet Harbor, west of an imaginary line connecting  $41^{\circ}44'29.4"N$ ,  $087^{\circ}31'33.9"W$  and  $41^{\circ}44'21"N$ ,  $087^{\circ}31'47.12"W$  (NAD 83).
  - (2) All waters of the South Branch of the Chicago

River from position 41°52′19.03″N, 087°38′08.7″W, then approximately 1380 yards south to position 41°51′36.5″N, 087°38′04.7″W (NAD 83).

- (3) All waters of the Chicago River from an imaginary line connecting positions 41°53′11.6″N, 087°38′20.5″W and 41°53′14.0″N, 087°38′17.2″W, then east to the North Orleans Street Bridge in position 41°53′15.84″N, 087°38′09.16″W, then south along the south branch of the river to the vicinity of the West Van Buren Street Bridge in position 41°52′36.4″N, 087°38′15.8″W (NAD 83).
- (4) All waters of the Chicago River from the West Lake Street Bridge in position 41°53′8.6″N, 087°38′15.9″W, then north to an imaginary line connecting positions 41°53′11.6″N, 087°38′20.5″W and 41°53′14.0″N, 087°38′17.2″W, then east along the main branch of the river to a position of 41°53′19″N, 087°36′33″W (NAD 83) in the vicinity of the North Lake Shore Drive Bridge.
- (5) All waters of the Chicago Sanitary and Ship Canal within a 1000 foot radius of a position at 41°50′28.5″N, 087°40′22.7″W (NAD 83) in the vicinity of the South Damen Avenue bridge.
- (b) Effective and Enforcement Period. These zones are effective from 6 a.m. on October 1 until 12 a.m. on October 31, 2013. This rule will be enforced from 6 a.m. to 12

a.m. on intermittent dates between October 1 through October 31, 2013.

## (c) Regulations.

- (1) In accordance with the general regulations in §

  165.23 of this part, entry into, transiting, or anchoring within these safety zones is prohibited unless authorized by the Captain of the Port, Lake Michigan or his designated on-scene representative.
- (2) These safety zones are closed to all vessel traffic, except as may be permitted by the Captain of the Port, Lake Michigan or his designated on-scene representative.
- (3) The "on-scene representative" of the Captain of the Port, Lake Michigan is any Coast Guard commissioned, warrant or petty officer who has been designated by the Captain of the Port, Lake Michigan to act on his behalf.
- (4) Vessel operators desiring to enter or operate within the safety zones shall contact the Captain of the Port, Lake Michigan or his on-scene representative to obtain permission to do so. The Captain of the Port, Lake Michigan or his on-scene representative may be contacted via VHF Channel 16. Vessel operators given permission to

enter or operate in the safety zones must comply with all directions given to them by the Captain of the Port, Lake Michigan, or his on-scene representative.

Dated: September 24, 2013.

M. W. Sibley, Captain, U. S. Coast Guard, Captain of the Port, Lake Michigan.

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